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SUBJECT EMERSON ELECTRIC PARTICIPATION

IN DAMASCUS FAIR

1. JOOST KETJEN, EUROPEAN DIRECTOR OF EMERSON ELECTRIC, A.
B. CHANCE DIVISION, CALLED ON CONGEN JULY 29 TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE
IN CLEARING PITMAN MODEL NO P 08692 POLECAT DIGGER DERRICK
MOUNTED ON CHEV. TRUCK CONSIGNMENT BY VHIS COMPANY TO
AMERICAN EMBASSY DAMASCUS FOR UNITED STATES PAVILION
INTERNATIONAL FAIR OF DAMASCUS. SHIPMENT WAS ERRONEOUSLY
SENT TO ODESSA FROM WHENCE KETJEN ARRANGED TO TRANSHIP
TO ISTANBUL WITH INTENTION TO TRANSIT TURKEY
TO DAMASCUS BY ROAD

2. CONGEN DETERMINED FROM CUSTOMS THAT SHIPMENT
MAY BE CLEARED FOR TRANSIT ONLY WITH BOND OR LETTER OF GUARANTEE,
WHICH KETJEN ATTEMPTING TO ARRANGE THROUGH
HIS BRUSSELS OFFICE. APPEARS CLEAR, HOWEVER, THAT
EQUIPMENT WILL NOT ARRIVE IN TIME FOR OPENING
OF DAMASCUS FAIR. WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION THAT LATE
ARRIVAL ACCEPTABLE TO FAIR AUTHORITIES. BATJER

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